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¹distance *v* **dis-tanced; dis-tanc-ing** (1578) 1: to place or keep at a distance 2: to leave far behind: **OUTSTRIP**
dis-tant \di-'stánt/ *adj* [ME, fr. MF, fr. L. *distans*, *distans*, pp. of *dis-tare* to stand apart, be distant, fr. *dis-* + *stare* to stand — more at **STAND**] (14c) 1 a: separated in space: **AWAY** b: situated at a great distance: **FAR-OFF** c: separated by a great distance from each other: far apart d: far behind (finished a ~ third) 2: separated in a relationship other than spatial (a ~ cousin) (the ~ past) 3: different in kind 4: reserved or aloof in personal relationship: **COLD** (was ~ and distracted) 5 a: going a long distance (~ voyages) b: concerned with remote things (~ thoughts) — **dis-tant-ly** *adv* — **dis-tant-ness** *n*
¹dis-taste \di-'tást/ *v* (1592) 1 *archaic*: to feel aversion to 2 *archaic*: **OFFEND**, **DISPLEASE** ~ *v*, *obj*: to have an offensive taste
¹distaste *n* (1598) 1 a *archaic*: dislike of food or drink b: **AVERSION**, **DISINCLINATION** (a ~ for opera) 2 *obs*: **ANNOYANCE**, **DISCOMFORT**
¹dis-taste-ful \di-'tást-fəl/ *adj* (1607) 1: objectionable because offensive to one's personal taste: **DISAGREEABLE** 2: unpleasant to the taste: **LOATHSOME** — **dis-taste-fully** \-fə-lē/ *adv* — **dis-taste-ful-ness** *n*
¹dis-tel-fink \di-'tɛl-'fɪŋk, 'dis-\ n [PaG *dischdel/fink*, lit., goldfinch, fr. *dischdel* thistle + *fink* finch] (1939): a traditional Pennsylvania Dutch design motif in the form of a stylized bird
¹dis-tem-per \di-'tem-pər/ *v* [ME *distemperen*, fr. LL *distemperare* to temper badly, fr. L. *dis-* + *temperare* to temper] (14c) 1: to throw out of order 2 *archaic*: **DERANGE**, **UNSETTLE**
¹distemper *n* (ca. 1555) 1: bad humor or temper 2: a disordered or abnormal bodily state esp. of quadruped mammals: as a: a highly contagious virus disease esp. of dogs marked by fever, leukopenia, and respiratory, gastrointestinal, and neurological symptoms b: **STRANGLES** c: **PANLEUKOPENIA** 3: **AILMENT**, **DISORDER** (political ~) (*intellectual* ~) — **dis-tem-per-ate** \-pə-'rēt/ *adj*
¹distemper *n* [obs. distemper, *v*.: to dilute, mix to produce distemper, fr. ME, fr. MF *destemper*, fr. L. *dis-* + *temperare*] (1632) 1: a process of painting in which the pigments are mixed with an emulsion of egg yolk, with size, or with white of egg as a vehicle and which is used for painting scenery and murals 2 a: the paint or the prepared ground used in the distemper process b: a painting done in distemper 3: any of various water-based paints
¹distemper *v* (ca. 1873): to paint in or with distemper
¹dis-tem-per-a-ture \di-'stem-pə-'tʃər-, -chər/ *n* [dis-, chiefly Southern, + *temper*] (1531): a disordered condition
¹dis-tend \di-'tend/ *v* [ME, fr. L. *distendere*, fr. *dis-* + *tendere* to stretch — more at **THIN**] *v* (15c) 1: **EXTEND** 2: to enlarge from internal pressure: **SWELL** ~ *v*, *vi*: to become expanded *syn* **see** **EXPAND**
¹dis-ten-si-ble \di-'sten(t)-sə-'bəl/ *adj* [*distens*, fr. L. *distensus*, pp. of *dis-tendere* + *-ible*] (ca. 1828): capable of being distended — **dis-ten-si-bil-i-ty \-'sten(t)-sə-'bi-l-i-tē/ *n*
¹dis-ten-sion or dis-ten-tion \di-'sten(t)-shən/ *n* [L. *distention*, *distention*, fr. *distendere*] (15c): the act of distending or the state of being distended *esp.* unduly or abnormally
¹dis-tick \di-'tɪk/ *n* [L. *distichon*, fr. Gk, fr. neut. of *distichos* having two rows, fr. *di-* + *stichos* row, verse; akin to Gk *steichon* to go — more at **STAIR**] (1553): a strophic unit of two lines
¹dis-tichous \di-'ti-kəs/ *adj* [LL *distichus*, fr. Gk *distichos*] (ca. 1753): disposed in two vertical rows (~ leaves)
¹dis-till or ab-dis-till \di-'stɪl/ *v* **dis-tilled; dis-till-ing** [ME *distillen*, fr. MF *distiller*, fr. LL *distillare*, alter. of L. *destillare*, fr. *de-* + *stillare* to drip, fr. *silla* drop] *v* (14c) 1: to let fall, exude, or precipitate in drops or in a wet mist 2 a: to subject to or transform by distillation b: to obtain by or as if by distillation c: to extract the essence of: **CONCENTRATE** ~ *v* 1 a: to fall or materialize in drops or in a fine moisture b: to appear slowly or in small quantities at a time 2 a: to undergo distillation b: to perform distillation
¹dis-till-ate \di-'tɪ-lāt-, -lət-, di-'stɪ-lət/ *n* (ca. 1859) 1: a liquid product condensed from vapor during distillation 2: something concentrated or extracted as if by distilling
¹dis-till-la-tion \di-'tɪ-lə-'shən/ *n* (14c) 1 a: the process of purifying a liquid by successive evaporation and condensation b: a process like distillation; *also*: an instance of distilling 2: something distilled: **DISTILLATE**
¹dis-till-er \di-'stɪ-lər/ *n* (1577): one that distills esp. alcoholic liquors
¹dis-till-ery \di-'stɪ-lə-rē-, -stɪ-l-rē/ *n*, *pl* -er-ies (1759): the works where distilling (as of alcoholic liquors) is done
¹dis-tinct \di-'stɪŋk/ *adj* [ME, fr. MF, fr. L. *distinctus*, fr. pp. of *dis-tingere*] (14c) 1: distinguishingable to the eye or mind as discrete: **SEPARATE** (a ~ cultural group) (teaching as ~ from research) 2: presenting a clear unmistakable impression (a neat ~ handwriting) 3 *archaic*: notably decorated 4 a: **NOTABLE** (a ~ contribution to scholarship) b: readily and unmistakably apprehended (a ~ possibility of snow) (a ~ British accent) — **dis-tinct-ly** \-stɪŋk(-)lē/ *adv* — **dis-tinct-ness** \stɪŋk(-)nəs-, -stɪŋk-nəs/ *n*
syn **DISTINCT**, **SEPARATE**, **DISCRETE** mean not being each and every one the same. **DISTINCT** indicates that something is distinguished by the mind or eye as being apart or different from others (two *distinct* versions). **SEPARATE** often stresses lack of connection or a difference in identity between two things (*separate* rooms). **DISCRETE** strongly emphasizes individuality and lack of connection (broke the job down into *discrete* stages). *syn* **see** in addition **EVIDENT**
¹dis-tinc-tion \di-'stɪŋk(-)shən/ *n* (13c) 1 a: **DIVISION** b: **CLASS** 2: the distinguishing of a difference (without ~ as to race, sex, or religion); *also*: the difference distinguished (the ~ between *imply* and *infer*) 3: something that distinguishes (regional ~s) 4: the quality or state of being distinguishable 5 a: the quality or state of being distinguished or worthy (a politician of some ~) b: special honor or recognition (took a law degree with ~) (won many ~s)**

|ə| about |ʔ| kitten, F table |ər| further |ə| ash |ä| ace |ä| mop, mar
 |ä| out |ch| chin |e| bet |ē| easy |g| go |i| hit |ī| ice |j| job
 |j| sing |ō| go |ō| law |ōi| boy |th| thin |th| the |ü| foot |ü| foot
 |y| yet |zh| vision |ä, ä, ʔ, æ, æ, u, ū, ʔ| see Guide to Pronunciation